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SUBJECT: PHYSICAL SECURITY DISCUSSIONS

REFERENCES (A) PARIS 5167; (B) STATE 11408

1. INFORMATION PROVIDED IN REFTEL A MOST WELCOMED FOR OUR EVALUATION OF PENDING LICENSE APPLICATIONS FOR EXPORT OF HIGHLY ENRICHED NUCLEAR MATERIAL TO FRANCE. WE BELIEVE IT OF IMPORTANCE FOR EMBASSY SCIENCE COUNSELOR TO UNDERTAKE A VISIT TO FACILITY TO OBSERVE FIRST HAND MEASURES IMPLEMENTED (PARA 2 REFTEL B) AND DISCUSS SCHEDULE FOR CONFIDENTIAL

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COMPLETION OF ITEMS PLANNED LATER (PARA 3 REFTEL B).

2. DEPARTMENT AND ERDA CONSIDER FOLLOW-UP VISIT BY EMBASSY SCIENCE COUNSELOR AS ROUTINE BUT NECESSARY TO COMPLETE EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS. REPORT OF VISIT WILL BE USED AS PART OF OVERALL ASSESSMENT OF MEASURES EMPLOYED IN FRANCE.

- 3. FYI ERDA MAY PROPOSE TO CONDUCT REVISIT TO CERCA FACILITY IN DUE COURSE TO OBSERVE IMPLEMENTED MEASURES. PROPOSED REVISIT WOULD BE CONDUCTED IN CONNECTION WITH REVIEWS OF OTHER EUROPEAN FACILITIES. END FYI.
- 4. PER PARA 3 REFTEL A, SUBJECT MATTER DID NOT ARISE DURING GOLDSCHMIDT VISIT ON FEBRUARY 18 19. VANCE

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